

# WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023

## Prayer

**Our Lady of the Visitation,  
you who left in haste towards the mountain  
to meet Elizabeth,  
lead us also to meet all those who await us  
to deliver them the living Gospel:  
Jesus Christ, your Son and our Lord!**

**We will go peacefully,  
because those who take Christ take peace,  
and well-doing is the best wellbeing.**

**Our Lady of the Visitation,  
with your inspiration,  
this World Youth Day  
will be the mutual celebration  
of the Christ we take, as you once did.**

**Make it a time of testimony and sharing,  
fraternization, and giving thanks,  
each of us looking for the others  
who always wait.**

**With you,  
we continue on this path of gathering,  
so that our world will gather as well,  
in fraternity, justice and peace.**

**Help us, Our Lady of the Visitation,  
to bring Christ to everyone,  
obeying the Father, in the love of the Spirit!**



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